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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

_]	Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by
		previous assertion of Small Entity status.

[] Assertion of Small Entity status is enclosed.

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

Claims		Extra		
As	Previously	Claims		Additional
Amended	l Paid For	Present	Rate	Claims Fee

Total Claims:	15	_	20	=	0	х	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	2		3	=	0	x	\$210.00	=	\$0.00
First pre	esentation	n of any	Multiple	e Depend	ent Claims:	+	\$370.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[X] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$120.00	\$120.00
[] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$460.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,050.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,640.00	\$0.00
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,230.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION	FEE TOTAL:	\$120.00
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):	\$130.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:		\$120.00
[] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract	t ½ of above):	\$0.00
Extension Fees Pro	eviously Paid:	\$0.00
	TOTAL FEE:	\$120.00

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.



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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 22, 2008, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicants have enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

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